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25X1 TELEPHONE CALL TO [] FROM MR. A.L. PEASLEE
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Excerpt from Memo for the Record

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"Secretary's luncheon for Key Members of Joint Committee on
Atomic Energy---Congress"

Senator Pastore raised the question of Communist China's Nuclear
Capabilities and what steps should be taken to deal with the situation.

The Secretary commented that one of our objectives in negotiations
would of course be that to obtain a commitment from the Soviets not
to assist that Communist China effort.

The Secretary also said that recent intelligence information, which he
said he would make an effort to have made available to the Committee,
indicated that the Communist China Program was suffering from something
of a slowdown.

25X1 Question: Can [] be released to the Committee? All versions
or just what material can be, or not at all.